

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)

v.)

GREGORY A. CONIGLIARO,)
SHARON P. CARTER)

Defendants.)

Court No.: 14-cr-10363-RGS-9

Court No.: 14-cr-10363-RGS-7

**ORDER SETTING BRIEFING SCHEDULE
AND HEARING**

The court will hear oral argument on the Rule 29 Motions of the above-captioned defendants at 2 P.M., February 20, 2019. For purposes of briefing, the court is particularly interested in the issue of legal impossibility as raised by, *inter alia*, *People v. Jaffe*, 185 N.Y. 497, 78 N.E. 169 (N.Y. 1906), and *Commonwealth v. Bell*, 67 Mass. App. Ct. 266 (2006). With respect to defendant Carter, the court also invites discussion of the issue whether there is a sufficient factual basis to support her membership in the conspiracy to defraud the Food and Drug Administration, as alleged in the Indictment. Defendants' briefs are to be filed on or before January 25, 2019. The government will have until February 15, 2019, to respond.

SO ORDERED.

/s/ Richard G. Stearns
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE